

Opp. Howland's.

1044 MAIN ST.

tenant Governor Everett Lake.

Manchester.
Arnott finally won out by two votes

immediately moved a reconsideration for tactical reason but this was lost. Among the other business passed by

the House was a resolution incorporat-ing the St. John's Industrial School which also brought about some debate.

Representative D'Esposo's amendment allowing boys to be committed to the institution and exempting it from 'ara-

tion was lost after a sturdy fight by its advocates. There was passed a resolution amending the charter of the

The old town of Stratford is outdoing

itself to-day in preparation for the St.

Patrick's parade to-night. Already the

The Bridgeporters in the parade will be the three divisions of the A.O. H. end the Hibernian Rifles. They will

by the men in the procession. As Stratford has no street lighting system and is very dark at night the myriads

of varied colored lights will show up

to perfection, more so than can be seen in this city where the electric lights

street to the town hall.

Immediately after the parade trolley

STARIN OFFICERS ABSOLVED.

steamships for the Federal government

investigation of the grounding of the Steamer John H. Starin at the Bridge-port breakwater. The inspectors de-cided that any action against the li-censes of the officers of the Starin is

to join in the parade.

STRATFORD'S ST.

## **Excellent Showing**

## Women's Spring Apparel

Two and Three Piece Tailored Suits, Gowns, Dress and Separate Skirts are splendidly ready. The time to select the Easter outfit is now-stocks are their best and you can choose leisurely.

**SUITS \$15 to \$35** 

#### ST. PATRICK DAY CARDS

New assortment. Be sure to send your friend one of these. Obtainable at Jackson's Book Shop, 988 Main Street.

### THE "LIE" PASSED ON FLOOR OF HOUSE

Judiciary Committee Wins over the number necessary for choice. On a rising vote the "yeas" had 1:2 and the "nays" 106. Chairman Burnes Out in Bitter City Court Contest in Manchester.

(Special from United Press.) Hartford, March 17.—The fight over the Manchester court occupied the opening session of the House today. Chairman Burnes of the Judiciary committee reported the resolution appointing Alexander Arnott and Representative Hall of Willington led the fight for the present judge of the court, Herbert O. Bowers. There was a long and spirited debate in which many members took part and which developed slong the line of opposition to the avorable report of the committee a argely signed petition from citizens of Manchester which was presented by the Hall. During the debate the lie was passed between Representative Burke of Manchester, who was doing werything possible for Mr. Arnott, and Mr. Hall. Hall had said that he had made a canvass of Manchester himself and his petition was the result. Burke said that Mr. Hall had been in fertford, March 17.-The fight over

ROBINSON—In this city. March 16, 1909; Thomas Robinson.
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—Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence. No. 365 Broad street, on Friday, March 15th, at \$2.30 a. m. and from Sacred Heart church, at \$9 a. m.

—Interment at Lakeview cemetery.

WESTMAN—In this city. March 16. 1929, Dennis Westman.

—Friends are invited to attend the fureral at the undertaking parlors of Rourke & Rourke, No. 1295 Main street, on Thursday, March 18, at \$3.30 a. m. and from St. Mary's church at \$9 a. m.

—Interment in St. Michael's ceme—large in St. Michael's ceme—large in the committee the power to do al-

ROBINSON—In this city, March 16.

1909. Thomas Robinson.

—Priends are invited to attend the funeral on Friday, March 19th, from Sacred Heart church, at 9:00 a.m.

—Interment at Lakeview cemetery.

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GANNON—In this city, March 15, 1909.

Patrick F. Gannon, aged 35 years.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral at his late residence. No. 1650
Park avenue, on Thursday, March 18, at 8:30 a. m. and from St. Augustine's church, at 9 a. m.

Interment at St. Michael's ceme—S 16 he

MILIOUS.—In this city, March 15, 1909, William H. Milious, aged 51 years, 7 months, 5 days.
—Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, No. 22 Houston street, on Thursday, Mar. 18, at 8:30 A. M., from Sacred Heart church, at 9 A. M.
—Interment at St. Michael's Cemetery. New Haven papers please copy. S 16 b\*p

#### MONUMENTS ARTISTIC .-- LASTING.

Plant operated by pneumatic cut-HUGHES & CHAPMAN.

300 STRATFORD AVENUE.

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James Horan & Son 943 Main St.

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JOHN RECK & SON, 985 MAIN ST. Telephone 759-3

ST. PATRICK'S PARISH

#### **ECTURE** and SACRED CONCERT

Poll's Theatre Sunday Night, March 21st to-day announced their finding in their rer, Prof. J. C. Monaghan, LL.D. Concert, Cecilia Quartet

IRISH CHARACTER" rved Scat Tickets for sale and god at Bull's Head Pharmacy.

This absolves Captain Van Pelt and all of the other officers of the Starin from any blame in connection with the accident to the steamer.

## REPORT OF **INSURANCE**

Part One of Forty-Fourth Annual Submitted to the Governor Today.

Eight New Concerns Admitted to do Business in the State-Some Interesting Statistics.

(Special from United Press.) Hartford, March 17 .- Part 1 of the forty-fourth annual report of the insurance commissioner, Mr. Theodore H. MacDonald, which deals with the business transactions by fire and marine insurance companies authorized to do business in the state and marine insurance companies were admitted to do business in the state and marine insurance companies were admitted to do business in the state and marine insurance companies were admitted to do business in the state and ten withdraw or failed to furnish statements. Of the 147 companies licensed to do business in the State, all are venue of twenty million dollars, are listed in the report except the Sarsurance commissioner. Mr. Theodore ten withdraw or failed to furnish statements. Of the 147 companies li-censed to do business in the State, all are listed in the report except the Sarwinton Mutual.

"That is not so," exclaimed Mr. Hall springing to his feet. He later apologized to the House for his unparliamentary action but in his apo'ogy was included the further assertion that Lake had not accompanied him to Manchester. The total assets of the companies are \$431.341.659.69, which is an increase of \$24,033,476.21 over 1907 and the total liabilities, including capital and statutory deposit, are \$306,196,045.61 which is an increase of \$5.264,177.63. The surplus of the concern's policy-holders is \$125,4 9.551.08, an increase of \$1.7,919,294.68 over 1907. The premiums for 1908 show a decrease of \$4.196.886.15 for fire and a decrease of \$153,722.59 for

for fire and a decrease of \$153,722.59 for Marine. The total income for 1908 was \$253,535,264.64, a decrease of \$4,184,283.91 from the previous year.

The total outgo for 1908 was \$241,-001,633.23, the excess of income being \$12.543,631.41. The losses paid in 1908 show an increase of \$18.478,508.90, and the expenses, excluding dividends and remittances to home office amount to \$34.434.240.12 or a decrease of \$2.911.

\$94.434.240.13 or a decrease of \$2,911,-177.35 from 1907. The stock companies of this and other states paid \$8,423,623.07 in dividends during 1908, an increase of \$1.002,358.75 over the amount paid in 1907. The amount of the dividends paid by the mutual companies in 1908 was \$668,-072,56, being \$96,190.13 more than the

celty of Stamford; re-organiz ng its fire department and giving the chief a life tenure of office. And another resolution, authorizing the city of Stamford to provide a site for a free public library and to finance the project by a bond issue. pervious year.

A comparison of the total business transacted in this state shows the net risks written in 1908 to be 102.58 per cent. of the amount written in 1907, or cent. of the amount written in 1907, or \$10,349,930 more. The net premiums received show an increase of \$89,516.18. The losses incurred in 1908 were 104.65 per cent. of the amount of losses incurred in 1907 or \$76,190.95 more. The losses paid in 1908 were 92.20 per cent. of the amount paid in 1907 or \$138,-

House of John Shepard in

By Flames.

Fire broke out this afternoon in the home of John Shepard at 29 Scafield avenue, Black Rock district, just beyond the city limits. Damage amounting to \$500 was done. The building is a small cottage and when the department arrived it was found that it did not have hose enough to supply a force of water sufficient to fight the flames. Chief Mooney used all of the chemical apparatus. The fire is said to have originted in a defective chimney flue.

BANQUET TONIGHT

and on those above that and not exceeding 24 by 30 inches, from 10 cents to 12 1-2 cents per square foot; all above that 22 1-2 cents per square foot; all above that 22 1-2 cents per square foot which is a reduction on nearly all of these larger sizes.

Watch cases and parts of watches and clocks unchanged, Peas, split peas from forty cents to forty-five cents in the pease of the square foot; all above that 22 1-2 cents per square foot; al biggest part are old tar barrels which the biggest part are old tar barrels which will last the longest in burning. A regular appointed committee has been selected to superintend the distribution and setting off the fire works which will be the latest effects. and the Hibernian Rifles. They will meet this evening at Hibernian hall and will then march from the'r room to Main street to Fairfield avenue headed by the Woodmen of the World band. They will board special trolley cars at 7 p. m.

The cars will be met at Bruce's Brook, the dividing line between the two towns by a delegation from Div. No. 1, A. O. H., of Stratford. The cars will bring them to H'bernian ha'l a' Beardsley's corner where lunch will be served the visitors.

# AT "STRATFIELD"

Knights of St. Patrick Will dred Will Sit Down to from

Beardsley's corner where lunch will be served the visitors.

After lunch the parade will be formed, led by Patrick Cullen, president of Div. No. 1. A. O. H., of Stratford, followed by 30 members of the division on horse back, most of whom are members of Okenuck tribe of Red Men. The Woodmen of the World hand will follow immediately after which the Hibernian Rifles Co. F. Captain J. J. follow immediately after which the Hibernian Rifles. Co. F. Captain J. J. McCarthy in command will follow. Next in line will be Div. No. 1. A. O. H., of Stratford, along with the three divisions from Bridgeport. The second division will be led by the St. James Drum Corps of Stratford followed by the Cadets of St. James church and all the Catholic citizens of the town.

The committee have enough green sashes and white silk badges to give to all those who desire to march in the parade. A feature of the parade will be the 300 red, white, blue, green and purple lanterns which will be cartied by the men in the procession. As panquet of the Knights of St. Patrick to-night at the Stratfield. It is expected that fully 200 covers will be laid. The chief guest will be Gover-nor Lilley and he will arrive here late this afternoon. The reception commit-tee will meet him at the station. All of the invited guests will make their headquarters at the Stratfield.

#### ANTLERS BUY GABLER PIANO

meeting of the Antlers' Club to pur-chase a piano to be presented to the local lodge of Elks, yesterday selected a Gabler from Sonnenberg & Co. The committee included Mrs. C. A. Rider, Mrs. Isaac Williams, Mrs. Loren Delbridge, and Mrs. T. F. Cotter.

#### Green Carnations by Michael J. Kelly

in this city where the electric lights spoil the general color scheme. In the parade there will be seen the largest Irish flag in Connecticut, loaned to the society by William Clifford of this city. There will also be many other large Irish flags the property of the local Hibernians who have also given their handsome silk American banners. Sheriff Charles Stagg, Jeremiah O'Leary and John Farrell have also loaned flags. The line of march will be, starting at the Hibernian hall at Beardsley's corner, to Main to Mr. Michael J. Kelly, gardener for Wilson Marshall, surprised his em-ployer today when the latter found also loaned flags. The line of march will be starting at the Hibernian hall awaiting him at his New York home a box of dainty green carnations which represented the artistic taste and development of his garneder. Mr. Kelly lites will have a monster bonfire to Einst seeret to himself until today. Bright and early this morning he shipstreet to the town hall.

By Square foot.

Iron ore and basic slag from forty cents per ton to the free list. Piz from street to himself until today. Bright and early this morning he shipstreet to the town hall. Bright and early this morning he shipped the fresh and attractive flower to New York. Mr. Marshall was elated and he sent word to Kelly that he was much pleased. The gardener does not deny that he did a little hit of nature faking, but the fact remains that he has turned out a perfect flower with an emerald hue such as would delight the great apostle himself were he alive.

tenths of one cent to four-tenths of one cent to means, girders, joists angles and so forth, from five-tenths of one cent to three-tenths of one cent to three-tenths of one cent to four-tenths on the four-tenths of one cent to four-tenths on the four-tenths of the four-tent cars will be in waiting to take back the Bridgeport divisions of Hibernians and the band, who will alight from the ar at the corner of Main and Fair-ield avenue, and march to Arion hall where Division No. 3 is holding a The committee invites all the local Catholic organizations that can do so

DIES AS RESULT OF BURNS.

(Special from United Press.) Jewett City, March 17 .- Suffering in New Haven, March 17.—Inspectors tense pain up to the last moment, Mrs. Dennis and Wright, local inspectors of Charles Button, aged 40, died early today at the Bakus Hospital in Norwich as a result of burns which she received at her home here last night. Mrs. Button was putting wood in the styr when her shawl caught fire. In a few minutes she was a mass of flames, the hair being burned from he head, her clothes entirely consumed and her body almost burned to a crisp. She is sur-vived by two daughters and her hus-

WANT ADS. CENT A WORD.

#### NEW TARIFF BILL MAKES MANY CHANGES FROM PRESENT LAW

(Continued From First Page.) . (Continued From First Page.) - due allowance by deduction being made for estimated duties thereon, cost of transportation, insurance and other necessary expenses from the place of shipment to the place of delivery and a research ble communication machinery, manufacturing machinery, innovation machinery, manufacturing machinery, innovation machinery, manufacturing machinery, innovation machiner

articles. The excess of sugar, tobacco and cigars to pay full tariff rates.

A section is added, applying the same rules to patents obtained in the United States by allens that are adopted by the country of which these aliens are citizens in respect to patents issued there to citizens of the United States. This will either complete foreigners obtaining patents in the United States to build factories and manufacture here for our trade or eventually forfeit the right to their patents.

Laths from 25 cents per one thousand pieces, to 20 cents. Fence posts, from 10 per cent. to the free list. Sugar, refined, from one cent and ninety-five one hundredths of one cent, to one cent and ninety-five one hundredths of one cent, to one cent and ninety-five one hundredths of one cent per pound.

Barley from 30 cents per bushel to 15 cents. Fresh meats from 2 cents to 11-2 cents per pound. Lard from 2 cents to 11-2 cents.

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All starch, except potato starch,

fers of provides for a tax on trans-fers of proverty, both real and per-sonal by inheritance or succession and by will. It is believed this provision when in full operation, will bring in a revenue of twenty million dollars, although no accurate estimates can be

made.

The internal revenue tax on cigarettes is increased, those weighing over three pounds per thousand from \$3 to \$3.60, and those weighing less from \$1 to \$1.50.

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The bill contains a carefully prepared section, extending the privileges of draw back on material imported in which tariff has been paid and the products of which are manufactured in this country when exported.

It is provided that the bill shall go into effect the day following its enactment.

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The committee have transferred some articles from the free list to the dutiable and have increased duties on others for the sole purpose of increasing the revenue. Most of these articles on which duties have been increased are luxuries.

The statement then gives the various increases which include: Perfumeries and tollet articles; fancy soap; cocca, duties ranging from four cents per pound for crude, to cocca valued from 34 to 35 cents. from five to seven cents a pound; cocca butter from 3½ to 5½ cents a pound; dandellon root and articles used as a substitute for coffee 2½ to 4 cents a pound.

Mustard from free list to 30 per cent. advance; ground. 30 cents a pound and various other spices, unground, 30 per cent. advalorem; ground 2½ cents a pound and 30 per cent. advalorem.

Feathers from 15 per cent. to 20 per cent. advalorem; furs from 70 per cent. to 21 1-2 per cent. advalorem. Manufacture of hair from 20 to 25 per cent. advalorem.

Duties on the following articles have

BLACK ROCK

BUSE OF John Shepard in Scofield Avenue Is Soaked By Flames.

By Flames.

Boules on the following articles have been increased because the committee found that there was not sufficient protection under the law: Oxalic acid transferred from the free list with a duty of one cent a pound; coal tar dyes or colors from 30 per cent. to 25 per cent. advalorem. Cement from 30 per cent. advalorem Asphalt and bitumen to differen one hundredths of one cent per pound on the bitumen contained therein. Polished plate glass increased from 6 cents to 10 cents per square foot on sizes and on those above that and not exceeding 24 by 30 inches, from 10 cents to 12 1-2 cents per square foot; all Duties on the following articles have

the rate on men's gloves \$4 a dozen and women's gloves are assessed 35 cents in addition per dozen pair for each inch over fourteen. Reductions are applied to about 50

Have as Chief Guest Govthe decrease in the duty ranges from 25 ernor Lilley—Two Hun
5 to 3 cents a pound. Salicylic acid
from 10 to 5 cents a pound. Tannic acid Feast.

All is in readiness for the annual All is in readiness for the annual and licorice, cotton seed oil and licrone oil are transferred to the free

Collodion and all compounds of py roxylin from 50 to 40 cents per pound Fruit ethers, oils or essence from \$ to \$1 per pound. Flaxseed, linseed and poppy seed oil, 20 to 15 cents a gal-lon. Ocher, sienna and umber and their earths from 1 1-2 to 1 cent a pound. Varnishes from 35 to 25 per cent. advalorem. Other reductions are: Firebrick from 45 to 35 per cent. advalorem; other brick if glazed from 45 per cent to 35 per cent. advalorem. Plaster rock or gypsum from 50 cents Plaster rock or gypsum from 50 cents to 40 cents per ton; if ground or calcined from \$2.25 to \$1.75 per ton. Unpolished, cylinder, crown and common window glass, above 24 by 36 inches square, reduced one-eighth of a cent per pound on all sizes; cylinder and crown glass, above 24 by 30 and not exceeding 24 by 60 inches square, reduced from 15 cents to 12 cents per square foot; sixes above that from 20 cents to 15 cents per square foot.

Marble, sawed or dressed, over 2 inches in thickness, from one dollar and

ches in thickness, from one dollar and ten cents to one dollar per cubic foot. Cast polished plate glass, silvered, 24 inches from 38 to 25 cents per square foot. Iron ore and basic slag from forty

forgings from 35 per cent. to 30 per cent. advalorem.

Hoop iron or steel and steel bands or strips are reduced. Steel rails and railway bars from \$7 to \$3.50 a ton. Tin plates from 11-2 cents to 12-10 cents. Ingots, blooms, slabs and so forth, valued at one cent a pound or less from 2.10 of any cent. less from 3-10 of one cent per pound to seven fortieths.

Iron or steel wire, not smaller than No. 13 wire gauze from 11-1 cents a pound to one cent. On such material valued over 4 cents a pound, the duty shall be not less than 40 per cent. advalorem. Doiler tubes, if not less than 3-8 of

an inch in diameter from 2 cents to 1 —An inventory of the Magdalena cent a pound. Wire nails, not lighter Harter estate returned to the probate than 16 gauge, from 1-2 to 1 cent a court to-day shows real estate valued pound. Hebter than 16 gauge from 1 at \$3 650 and personal property valued cent to 1-2 cents a pound. Rivets from at \$11.75.

Cross cut saws from 6 to 5 cents a WANT ADS. CENT A WORD.

Steel band saws from 10 to 5 pound. Aluminum, crude, from cents per pound; plans from cents a pound. Lead bearing

8 to 7 cents per pound; plans from 13 to 11 cents a pound. Lead bearing ore on the lead contents therein, from 11-2 cents to 1 cent a pound. Lead in pig and base bullion from 21-8 to 11-2 cents a pound. Cash registers, electrical apparatus and ma-chinery, manufacturing machinery, linotype and all typesetting machines.

a reasonable commission not exceed-ing ten per cent., if any of the same lumber of white wood, sycamore and is paid. Sawed basewood from \$1 per thousand to 50 The bill provides for reciprocal free trade with the Philippines on many articles. The excess of sugar, tobacco Laths from \$2 to \$1.

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duty of 1-2 cents a pound for each cent of additional value over 10 cents; valued over 16 cents, duty 7 cents a

noils and all other waste from 20 to 18 cents a pound; woolen racs from 10 to 6 cents a pound. Mechanically ground wood pulp from 1-12 of one cent per pound to exemption from duty on pulp from any country not imposing export duty and so forth, on certain forest

products.
Printing paper valued at not above 2 1-4 cents per pound from three-tenths to one-tenth of one cent per pound; valued above two and one-fourth cents a pound and not above two and one half cents a pound, from four-tenth to two-tenths of one cent per pound.

Bituminous coal and coke from any country admitting American coal free, transferred from 67 cents per ton for coal and 20 per cent. advalorem for coke, to free list.

Hides from 15 per cent. advalorem to

Hides from 15 per cent, advalorem to free list. Band and sole leather from 9 to 5 per cent, advalorem. Upper leather calf skin, chamols skin, kangaroo, sheep and goat skins, and other leather not provided for, from 20 to 15 per cent, advalorem.

Patent leather, all grades, reduced to 9 per cent, advalorem. Agricultural imploments, plows, etc., from 25 per cent, advalorem to 15 per cent, advalorem and further provision to free list from any country admitting machinery free. Works of art, including paintings and statuary, more than twenty years old, from twenty per cent, to the free list. free list.

The articles mentioned in the remaining paragraphs of the bill are rated substantially at the same duty as under the present law.

## GANG OF SNEAKS COMING THIS WAY

Warning Sent Out By Pennsylvania Police to Look Out for Crooks. Supt. Birmingham today received

notices from several towns in eastern Pennsylvania to look out for a gang of is engaged by one of the number who iske for some article in a distant corner of the store or in the cellar. Thould the first man fail to get the owner or clerk away from the safe or money drawer another enters the store and asks for some other article. While the attention of the merchant is en raged a third or fourth man sneaks into the store and robs the till or the safe. The gang is bound this way. The remarkable success which attended the operations of the men has demonstrated that they are experts in the game.

#### REFUSE TO SERVE ON COMMITTEES

Bartlett and James, Demoment to Mileage Commit- good-fitting.

(Special from United Press.)

Washington, March 17.-The threatwashington, March 1.—Ine threatened Democratic outburst occurred in
the House to-day. Just before adfournment the Speaker announced as
the committee on mileage, Representative Kennedy, (Republican Jowa,) Lundin, (Republican, Ills.), Garner, (Republican, Pa.), Lewis, (Democrat, Ga.), and Denver. (Democrat, Oh'o). Bartiett was on his feet in an instant to correct the Speaker. Lewis not being a member of the House at present. "I will then." said Uncle Joe. "annoint the gentleman from Georgia, Mr. Bartiett." "I decline to serve." shout-Bartiett." "I decline to serve." shouted Bartlett thumping on his deck.

"Oh, very well." said the Speaker. I
appoint the gentleman from Kentucky,
Mr. James." "I also refuse to act."
the Kentuckian shouted.

"That is a matter for the House to
determine," said Uncle Joe. He then
put the question. "As many favor excusing the gentleman from Kentucky,
will say aye." Nearly all the members

will say aye." Nearly all the members shouted in favor, but the nos from the Republicans were thunderous. Finally, however, every voice was raised and James was excused. The Sneaker then named Collier, (Democrat. Mississippi), who did not happen to be in the House. Then on motion of Representative Payne the House adjourned.

#### WALL STREET TO-DAY.

(Special from United Press.) 11 a. m.—There was a moderate broadening to the market at the oven-ing and during the first hour resulting to some extent from advices sent out by some of the commission houses that they considered the situation improved enough to warrant customers taking position on the long side. Price move-ments generally made advances ranging from fractions to over 1 point. ing from fractions to over 1 point. At the end of the first hour prices lost most of the earlier gains on salling.

Noon. The first effect of the publication of the details of the proposed tariff bill was a selling movement by the room on which prices of some of the important issues declined about one point from the highest range of one point from the highest range of During this decline the mar-

-An inventory of the Magdalens

## HOWLAND'S

Entrances on Main street, Fairfield avenue and Cannon street.

The Weather-Fair and colder to-Wednesday, March 17, 1909. night; Thursday fair,

## Three days of woolen remnants at \frac{1}{2} of usual price.

A really remarkable chance is yours.

Thursday morning, we shall spread out on the counters the biggest lot of woolen remnants you ever saw in this store. Every one of them is to sell, at just half of its marked price-\$2.50 stuffs at \$1.25 a yard; 25c stuffs at 12 1-2c a yard.

With a fine-tooth comb, we have gone all through the collection of woolen dress goods. Blacks and colors have alike been inspected from top shelf to bottom. Every fabric which had been cut down to a dress length or less was counted as a remnant. No matter what it was, how good or how new or how old, it was classed as a remnant and went into this lot that is to be ready Thursday morning.

What a lot it is! Broadcloth and lansdowne, henrietta and wool taffeta, mohair and prunella, eolienne and batiste, canvas cloth and crepe, voile and panama,—and fancy suitings in many many styles and colors.

Speaking of colors; there is not a color missing from this assembly. Every one is there from black to white and from blue to pale shades for evening wear. Of some there is enough for a waist; of some, enough for a skirt; of some only enough for a child's waist or guimpe.

Every vard goes out with former price still marked upon it. From that price just one-half will be cut by the sales-folks. \$1 goods for 50 cents; 50 cent goods for 25 cents; \$1.50 goods for 75c; -and so on all through the en-

Just three days are set aside for the selling. It is going to be lively. And hundreds of women may join in its savings.

### Inlaid linoleum. 65c square yard!

terns and mixtures. Nice to the room in which it is styles for vestibule or bath-used, a distinctive air and a room. In short lengths but special beauty. It is not enough of some to cover a alone new; it is tasteful and small room.

vard,-65c.

meaks who have been operating in that State. Merchants are the victims of the gans which consists of three or nore men. The merchant's attention Third floor. Third floor.

#### Shirts--69c.

to him.

Tasteful shirts in neglige

Stripes and nice checks in good colors on white ground. are festooned upon them, Made of good fabric.

crats, Decline Appoint- baggy, if you please, but silk draperies. From 3 cents

An exceptional money's worth—and any man will know it at a glance.

Right of Main street entrance.

#### New Delineator.

In its new form, the Delineator for April is ready. Pages are larger. There are lots of them. It is easier to read. And it is fuller than ever of good fashion news and good reading.

Lots of them, too. Every goods. one of the Butterick quality, up to the minute as far as tions. Sewing-needs, dressnewness and goodness is ing-table needs, notions for concerned.

Cannon street alsle, rear.

#### New papers for use with cut-out borders.

A great saving is possible if you can use small pieces. Inlaid linoleum. Heavy for a long long time is the weight. Small block pat- new cut-out border. It gives effective and satisfying.

Usually \$1.25 a square Here are papers specially planned to be used with New printed linoleum in these borders and to be tone stripes, chambray papers, silk stripes, grass cloth papers, dainty flat stripes. Shirts a man will thank to 80c a double roll according his wife for bringing home to the usual standards. But they are to sell at

Cut-out borders to be used with them are shown in beautiful effects. Flowers there are chintz and Dres-Not cut scantily but with den designs, ribbon and lace plenty of room in them. Not patterns. Some look like to 50 cents a yard.

Expert paper-hangers are furnished by the store to hang these or any other pa-pers sold here. Their services are sure to be satisfactory and are furnished at reasonable charge.

### Notions cheap.

Lots of them still. Good ones in every case. Little price doesn't go with With Delineator are the quality below regular; it new Butterick patterns. goes with regular sorts of

About every sort of nopersonal wear.

#### THE HOWLAND DRY GOODS CO.

#### HARDWARE FROM WRECK OF STARIN

cles Washed from Steam-

er at the Breakwater.

Since the removal of the steamer John H. Starin from the rocks at the breakwater men have been at work in boats with oyster tongs fishing up articles which were washed over board from the steamer. Large quantities of hardware, faucets, house trimmings, locks, bolts, door knobs and other heavy articles have been fished up by the men with their tongs. The second hand men have refused to buy this stuff until they are assured that the men who pick it up have a right to it. Detective Fox took samples to headquarters this afternoon. It has not yet

been decided whether the finders of these goods can claim them as their

#### Boatmen Tonging Up Arti- To Prevent Tampering With Water Meters